

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

☐ East St. Louis ☒ Video Conference

MARK BRANDON HAMMAN,

Plaintiff,

v.

CITY OF CARBONDALE, ILLINOIS, et  
al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 25-cv-736-NJR

DATE: August 11, 2025

TIME: 1:30 PM - 4:15 PM

COURT REPORTER:  
Stephanie Rennegarbe

COURTROOM DEPUTY:  
Deana Brinkley

MINUTES OF COURT

**PRESIDING:** Honorable Nancy J. Rosenstengel, Chief U.S. District Judge

**COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFFS:** Liam Harrell, Nathan Moelker, Kelsey McGee

**COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANTS:** Courtney Cox, Philip Lading

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Matter called for an evidentiary hearing as to Plaintiff's for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. 8).

Brief opening statements made by the parties.

**PLAINTIFF'S WITNESSES:**

- Mark Brandon Hamman time: 1:42 PM - 3:23 PM
- Pastor Jared Sparks time: 3:27 PM - 3:37 PM

**DEFENDANTS' WITNESSES:**

- Leonard Jamie Snyder time: 3:42 PM - 4:13 PM

**PLAINTIFF'S ADMITTED EXHIBITS:** 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10

**DEFENDANTS' ADMITTED EXHIBITS:** 11

Hearing shall resume at **9:00 AM on Wednesday, August 13, 2025 via video conference** before Chief Judge Nancy J. Rosenstengel. Video connection information will be sent via email to counsel.